

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
KOJI YANO, et al.) : Examiner: Bryan T. Kilpatrick
Application No.: 10/553,977) : Group Art Unit: 1797
Filed: October 20, 2005) : Confirmation No.: 8243
For: SENSOR FOR DETECTING A)
TARGET SUBSTANCE IN A) :
FLUID) February 19, 2010

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT SUBMITTED WITH RCE
AND
REQUEST FOR INTERVIEW

Sir:

Prior to further examination of the above-identified application, for which a Request for Continued Examination is being filed concurrently herewith, and in response to the final Office Action dated November 19, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows: